

Senate Resolution 1331

By: Senators Jackson of the 24th, Cowser of the 46th, Goggans of the 7th and Untermyer of the 45th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. R. Jack Spivey; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mr. R. Jack Spivey has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Spivey served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the
6 United States Air Force, valiantly and courageously protecting fellow Americans during the
7 Korean War as a member of the 158th Fighter Squadron; and

8 WHEREAS, his leadership and vision have been instrumental to Athens Technical College
9 as a member of the local board of directors of the school and as a current member of the
10 board of trustees of the Athens Tech Foundation and the college's Auditorium Seat
11 Campaign; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Spivey has diligently and conscientiously devoted his time, talents, and
13 energy to Athens Technical College, advocating on behalf of the school to gain support for
14 the construction of the school's Elbert County Campus; and

15 WHEREAS, a community leader, Mr. Spivey has served as president of the Elbert County
16 Cattleman's Association, chairperson of the Elbert County Chamber of Commerce's
17 Transportation Committee, chairperson of the Highway 72 Committee, and a member of the
18 Elberton Kiwanis Club, the Malta Mason Lodge #641, the Elbert County Granite Center
19 Shrine Club, and the Georgia Pest Control Association; and

20 WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
21 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this
22 state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

23 WHEREAS, Mr. Spivey is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
24 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
26 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
28 recognize Mr. R. Jack Spivey for his efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public
29 service to Elbert County and the State of Georgia.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
31 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. R. Jack Spivey.